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IMPORTANT RECALL INFORMATION #140609ARG

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**TO: ALL ALLIED RECREATION GROUP DEALER PRINCIPALS,
SERVICE MANAGERS AND PARTS MANAGERS**

**SUBJECT: RECALL CAMPAIGN #140609ARG
2013-2014 Class A – Seat Belt Assemblies**

Allied Recreation Group, Inc., on behalf of its manufacturing center located in Decatur, Indiana, is requesting your assistance in conducting a voluntary recall notification campaign in accordance with the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

Allied Recreation Group, Inc. has decided that a noncompliance with Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) No. 209, "Seat Belt Assemblies," and Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (CMVSS) No. 209, "Seat Belt Assemblies", exists in certain model year 2013 American Tradition, and certain model year 2013-2014 American Eagle and American Revolution brand Class A motor homes.

We are notifying the owners of the affected units in order to correct the problem. A copy of the letter sent to owners of record is attached for your information.

WHAT IS THE PROBLEM?

Motor homes affected by this recall may be equipped with certain Villa International brand driver and passenger seats, which have seat belt assemblies which are potentially noncompliant with the requirements of FMVSS No. 209 and CMVSS No. 209. The seat belt bracket ends attached to the seat frame may be improperly installed. This condition could compromise the seat belt over a period of time resulting in a seat belt failure in the event of a vehicular collision.

WHAT SHOULD YOU DO?

Owners of the above mentioned motor homes have been asked to contact an Allied Recreation Group dealer to have the described defect remedied. In the event that you are contacted by a customer, please verify eligibility by referring to the serial number range listed in the attached ***Recall Service Bulletin #140609ARG*** prior to beginning repairs.

Once repairs are completed, have the customer sign your dealership's ***Internal Repair Order*** and submit your request through e-FDN. Customers will not be charged for these repairs.

If you have one of these vehicles in your inventory, you will be mailed a Safety Recall Notice for that specific motor home. Allied Recreation Group dealers are required to make repairs to stock units on dealer lots prior to sale or lease.

Federal Law (Section 154 of the National Highway Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act) of 1966 requires that: If you have received a notice of recall or failure to comply from Allied Recreation Group, Inc., or any component manufacturer, you must repair or otherwise correct the defect on vehicles remaining in your inventory according to the notification before selling or leasing the vehicles. Any vehicle lessor receiving this recall notice must forward a copy of the notice to the lessee within ten days.

Please review this entire package with your parts and service staff to familiarize them with the step-by-step procedure and implement the Voluntary Recall Campaign.

Thank you for helping Allied Recreation Group with its continuing efforts to maintain customer satisfaction. If you have any questions, please contact your Allied Recreation Group Service Center.

Sincerely,

ALLIED RECREATION GROUP, INC.

Attachments: Recall #140609ARG Customer Letter
Recall #140609ARG Service Bulletin